

July 2009	Climbing instructor: Aiglon College Summer School	<i>Villars, Switzerland</i>
Feb. 2009	Teacher of Outdoor Activities: PGCE Placement Ogwen Cottage	<i>North Wales</i>
Nov. 2008	Special Needs Teaching Assistant: Teacher Training placement Ysgol y Gogarth	<i>North Wales</i>

Education

Sept. 2017 June 2020	MSc Carbon Management (ongoing, online)	<i>University of Edinburgh</i>
Sept. 2017 June 2018	Post Graduate Certificate in Climate Change Management	<i>University of Edinburgh</i>
Sept. 2008 June 2009	Post Graduate Certificate of Education in English + Post Graduate Certificate of Education in Outdoor Activities	<i>University of Bangor</i>
Oct. 2004 Jun 2007	English Literature BA with Honours 2:1	<i>University of York</i>
Sept. 1992 June 2004	A2 – levels (2004) English Literature A , History A , Economics A AS - Levels (2003), Drama A . GCSEs (2002) 9As, 2A*s	<i>Eltham College, London</i>

Environmental activism / passion projects

Jan. 2019 I led the British Search for Star Dust Expedition on 6570m Cerro Tupungato to investigate glacier retreat and the emergence of the 1947 crashed plane “Star Dust in Mendoza Province, Argentina.

Dec. 2017 I led a two man British expedition to climb the world’s southernmost 6000m peak to collect summit snow samples to test for the presence of black carbon air pollution particles. “[To Kill a Glacier](#)” feature and photography published at Geographical.

Aug. 2017 I walked out into three lanes of traffic on Marylebone Road to document and photograph the Stop Killing Londoners road block disco to raise attention about the threat of air pollution in the Capital. “[Facing the Music](#)” published at Geographical online.

Apr. 2017 I cycled the length of the Northern Line with a black carbon air pollution monitor provided by KCL. The project was supported by Dr Benjamin Barratt of the university’s Environmental Research Group and inspired by their findings that cycling exposes you to less air pollution than taking the Underground. “[Riding the Northern Line](#),” filmed by Jimmy Hyland.

July 2015 I ran 1,000 vertical metres into the Andes mountains every day for a month to document and photograph the seasonal smog epidemic in the city of Santiago below. The “Climbing for the Climate” project attempted to increase awareness of the dangers of air pollution and methods to avoid contributing to the problem. “[The Elephant in the Atmosphere](#)” published by boutique running magazine Like The Wind.

Additional information

Languages: Spanish, fluent. I conduct interviews with politicians, NGOs, business leaders and climate scientists in Spanish

Qualifications: Mountain Leader, Single Pitch Award climbing instructor, CASI 1 snowboard instructor, wilderness first aid

Hobbies: Ultramarathon running, cycle touring, bread making, rock climbing

References

Personal/Previous Employment

Paul Presley, Editor of RGS Geographical magazine, Paul@Geographical.co.uk

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Academic

Dr Dave Reay, Personal tutor and course organiser for Carbon Management MSc at Edinburgh University, David.Reay@ed.ac.uk